



SPECIAL FALL OFFERING OF
PHALAENOPSIS
and CYMBIDIUMS

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Seasonal Sale of **PHALAENOPSIS**

Exhibition Whites . . .

Here, we feel, are some of the most outstanding crosses being offered anywhere. All should produce a multitude of large, heavy-substantced white flowers.

Quality is no accident—Award flowers are the result of planned breeding.

No. 58-18—GRACE PALM

This is a remake of perhaps the most famous Phalaenopsis of all time. The large heavy flowers make it an outstanding commercial as well as show flower.

Here we have crossed Doris “Jean” with Winged Victory “Purity” which is the finest Winged Victory we have ever seen, bar none.

No. 58-10—DOS PUEBLOS

Crossing Doris back onto Grace Palm tends to bring out more of the well known Doris shape while still maintaining the vigor of the Winged Victory grandparent. In this instance we used Grace Palm “Gigantic,” a 5½” flower with our Doris “Jean.” This Grace Palm is the most vigorous plant in our collection with sprays up to 5 feet long. Should be some real show pieces here.

No. 57-30—DOS PUEBLOS

Not quite as large as the above cross, but likely to be a little heavier. In this we used Grace Palm “Shadycrest” with Doris “Capitola.” Flowers will be long lasting. A real fine commercial cross.

58-9—JUANITA “Snowball” x DORIS “Jean”

Two of the world’s finest hybrids mated for even further improvements. Doris, of course, needs no description. Juanita is a Shaffer introduction which caused quite a sensation during

the Spring of 1958 when one of these won honors as the Best American Bred orchid at Western Orchid Congress. Quite a number of these seedlings are being grown here for our own cut flower and exhibition purposes, and we are so confident in its results that the cross has already been remade.

PRICES

2½”-3” leaf length-----\$2.50 Each
10 for \$22.50

An Unusual Phalaenopsis

No. 216—STAR OF SANTA CRUZ

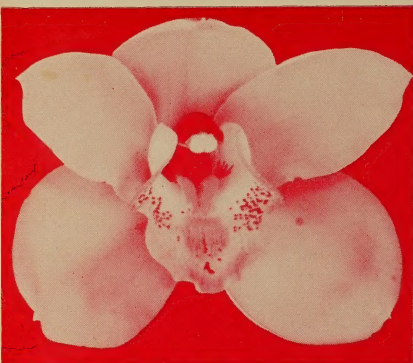
ENASU TOMAGUCHI X LUEDEMANNIANA NO. 23

With the emphasis at the present time on unusuals, here is a real eye catcher. Heavy substance with barring and spotting of pink on a lighter back ground. It’s hard to beat. Similar to Star of Rio and Texas Star which are held in such high regard. Here is another star to brighten even the finest collections.

Strong plants 3”-4” leaf length

\$12.50 EACH

Ready for 4” pots



Cymbidium

Rosanna

"Pinkie"

F.C.C.- R.H.S.

WORLD FAMOUS
AS THE PARENT
OF SUCH CROSSES
AS NAM KAHN,
INAMORATA, JUDY
BALKIS AND
MANY OTHERS.

**APOLLO "Exbury" FCC-RHS x
ROSANNA "Pinkie" FCC-RHS**

Here Rosanna has been crossed with the well known Diploid Apollo "Exbury." Colors will range from white through shades of blush and pink to yellow and possibly a few light greens. As in most Triploids vigor is already apparent in these seedlings.

**CHIRBROOK "Malibu" x
ROSANNA "Pinkie" FCC-RHS**

Chirbrook is a Diploid bred from Chiron x Carisbrook. It is a buff pink of very heavy production and strong growth. Seedlings will be mainly in the pink tones with a few whites. Lots of Show Bench material here.

Seedlings of these two outstanding crosses

Leaf length 6-10"

\$3.50 Each—10 for \$30.00

PACKING—All plants are carefully packed to insure their arrival in the best possible condition. All are shipped out of pots unless otherwise requested.

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